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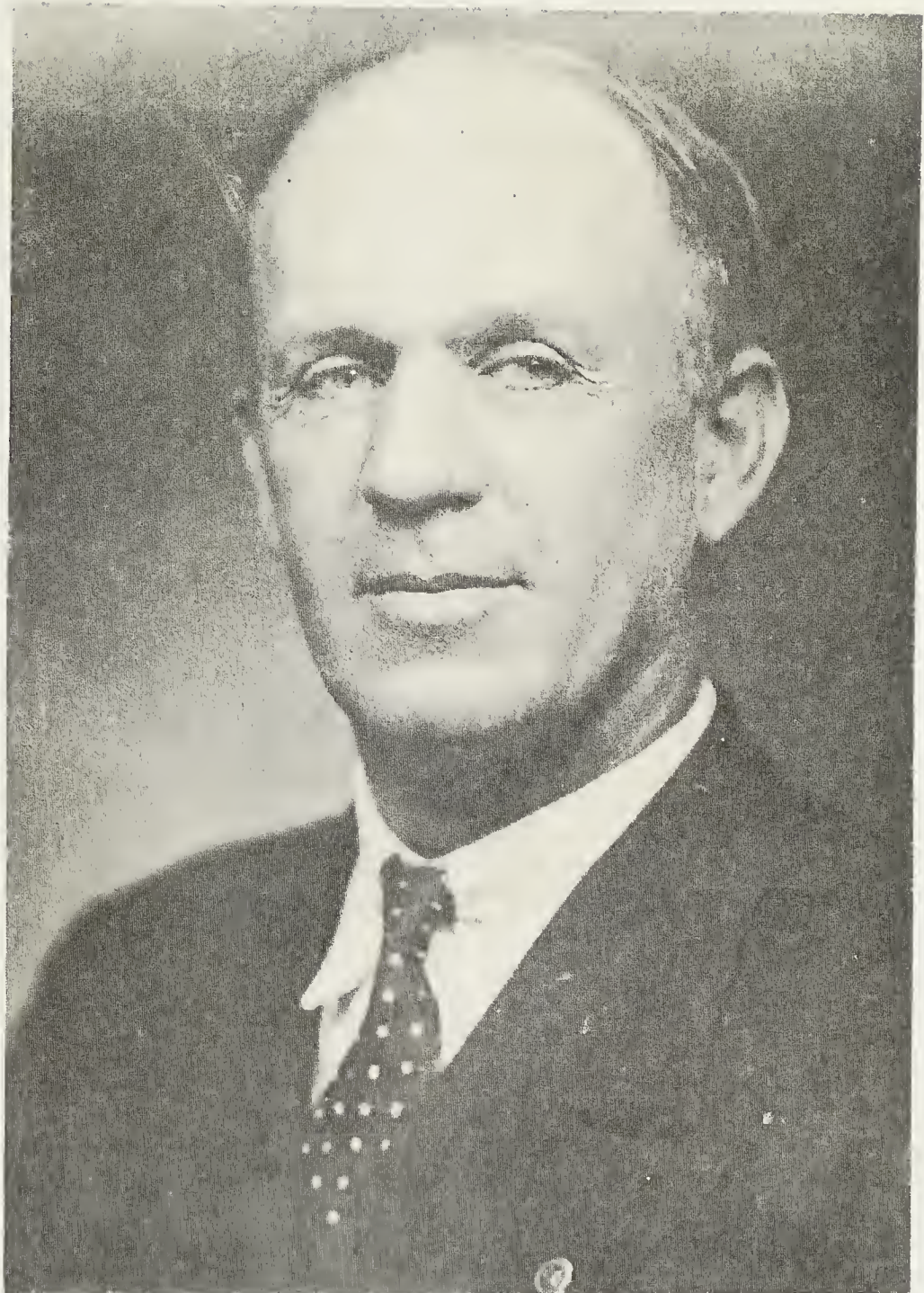


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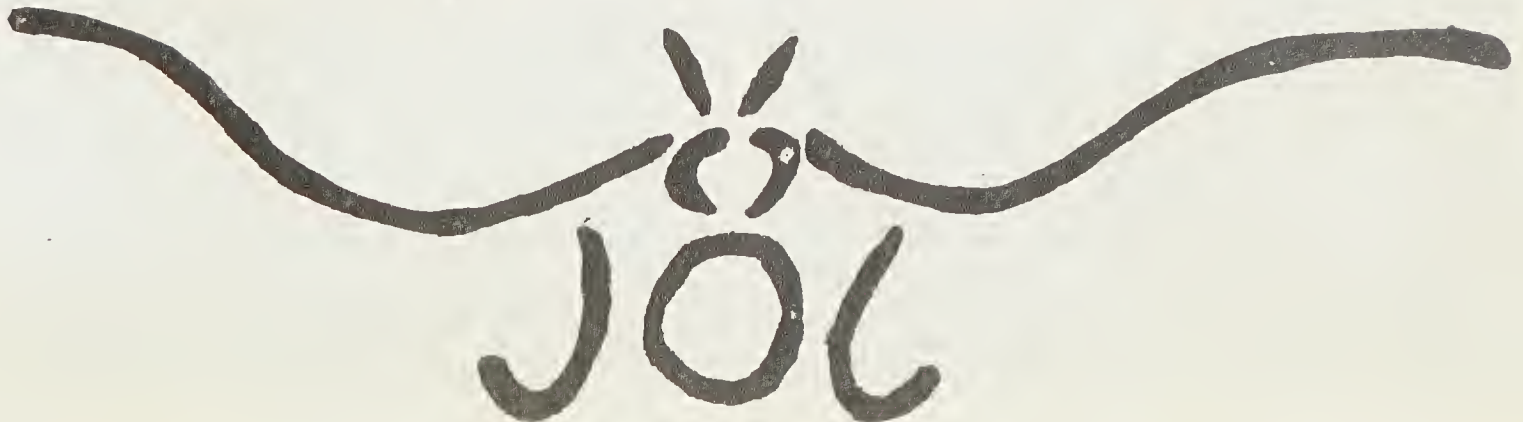






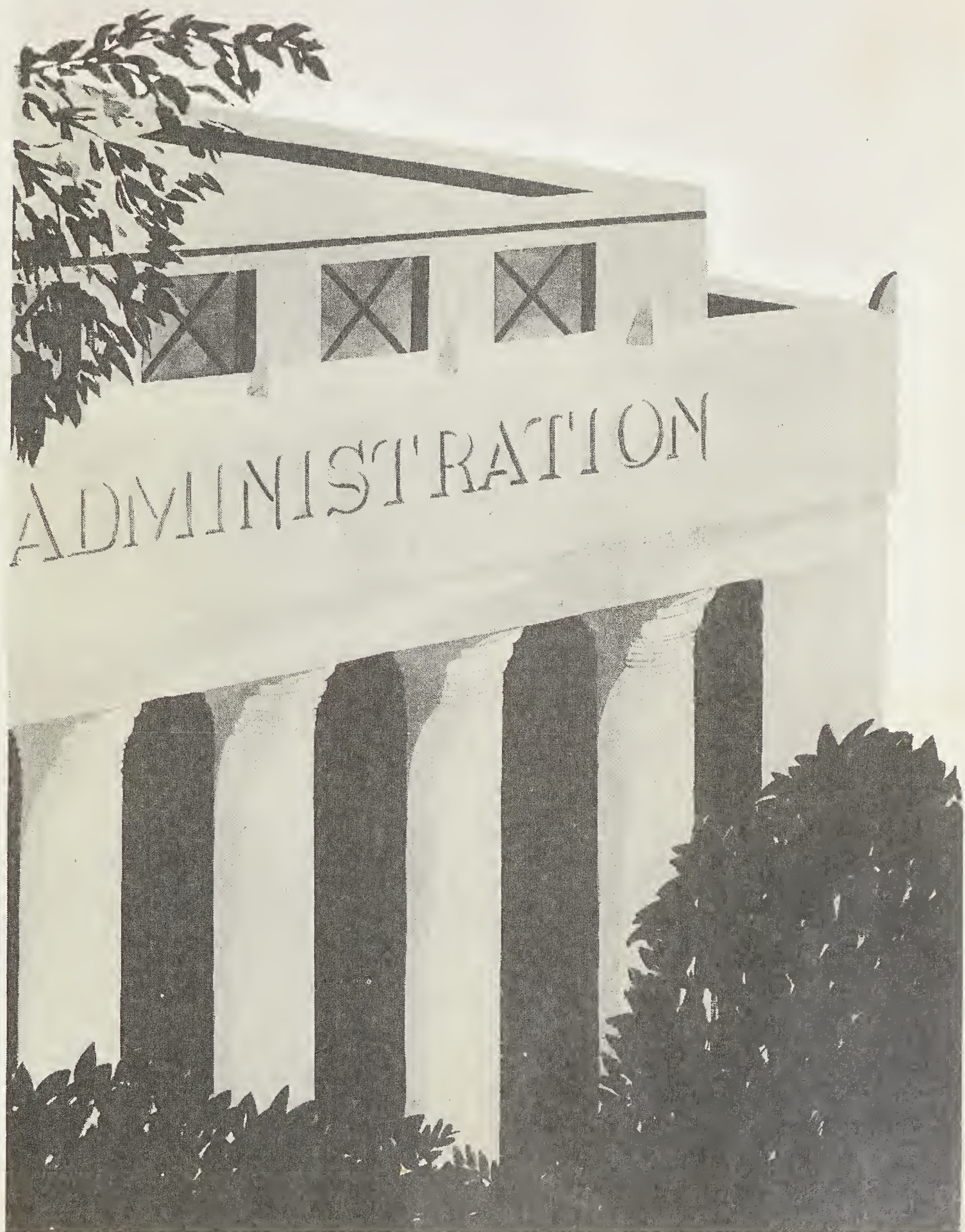


To show our appreciation for your never ending  
patience and guidance in our work, we dedicate this  
issue of the ECHO to you--- MR. ROBERT C. YOUNG.















MRS. J.E. DAVIS

FIRST GRADE



MRS.  
EDWARD COBB  
THIRD GRADE



MRS. ALMA SLOAN

SECOND GRADE

MRS. K.S. ISLEY, JR.

FIFTH GRADE



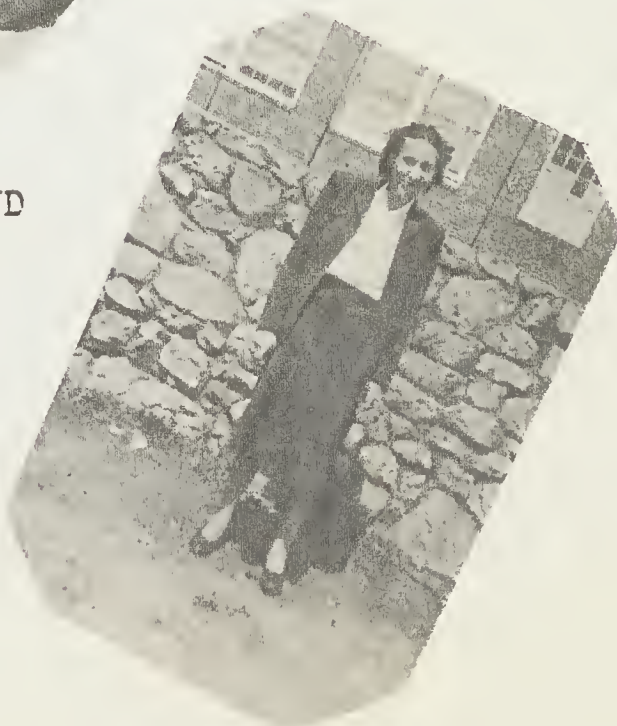
MISS HELEN THOMPSON

SEVENTH GRADE



MISS ELIZA BOYD

EIGHTH GRADE









MR. R.C. YOUNG,  
PRINCIPAL  
SCIENCE



MRS. R.C. YOUNG,  
SOPHOMORE SPONSOR  
MATH-FRENCH



MRS. W.A. WATSON,  
JUNIOR SPONSOR  
HOME ECONOMICS



MISS NELL FINCH MURPHY,  
SENIOR SPONSOR  
ENGLISH-FRENCH



MR. J.D. WILSON,  
AGRICULTURE



MRS. PHYLIP HUNT,  
DIETITIAN

MRS. M.K. CARSWELL, HISTORY  
FRESHMAN SPONSOR, not pictured



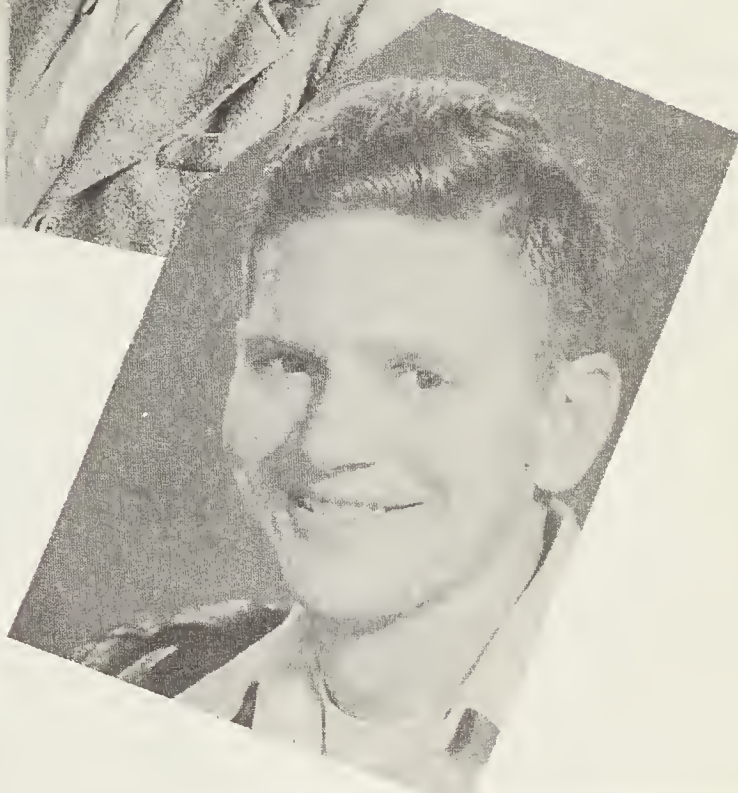


# Seniors







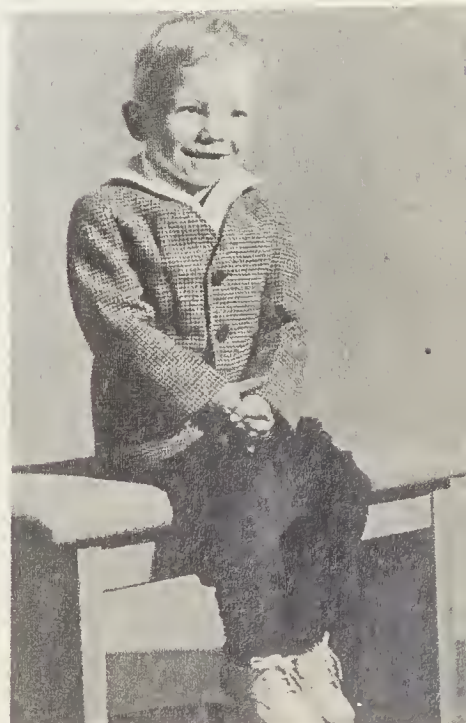


TOP ROW:  
 PRES. RACHEL MOSS  
 VICE PRES. DORIS PARRISH  
 SECOND ROW:  
 SEC. MARY ANN LASSITER  
 TREAS. EDDIE CLAYTON, JR.

#### MASCOTS

FRANCES McCRACKEN

R.T. MOSS, JR.

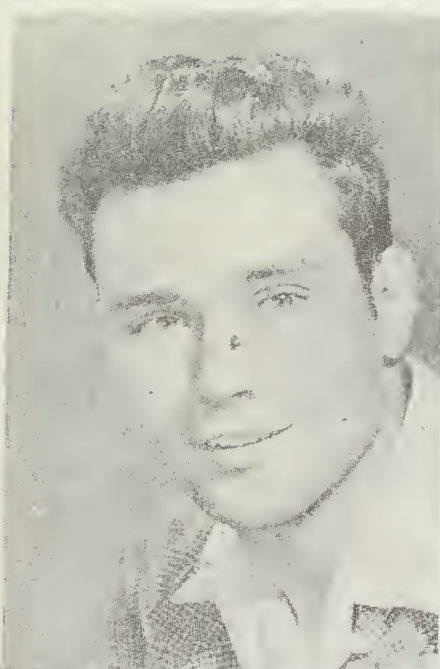




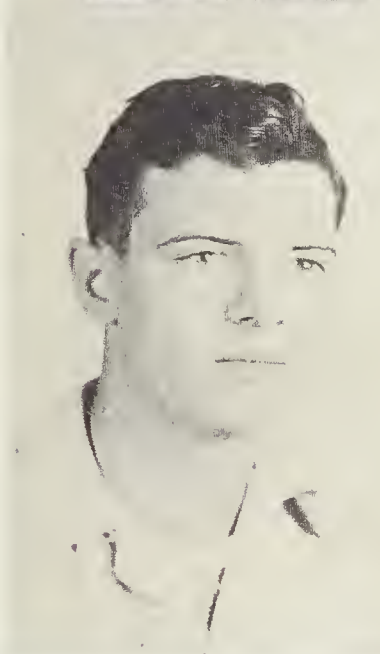




JOHN M. BARNES, JR.  
Senior 4H Club 1,2,  
3; Basketball 3.



HERBERT CARROLL BOYD  
Basketball 3; Base-  
ball 3,4.



BOBBY DAVIS CLAYTON  
Basketball 3; Base-  
ball 1,2,3,4.



EDDIE Q. CLAYTON, JR.  
Basketball 3.

NANCY E. FULLER  
Beta Club 2, 3, 4;  
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Teen  
Age Book Club 4;  
Senior 4H Club 1,  
2,3.



PHYLLIS A. GRISSOM  
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Teen  
Age Book Club 4;  
Basketball 3; Soft  
Ball 1.









MARY ANN LASSITER  
Beta Club 2,3,4.



RACHEL MARIE MOSS  
Beta Club 2,3,4; F.  
H.A. 2,3,4; Senior  
4H Club 1,2,3; Teen  
Age Book Club 4.



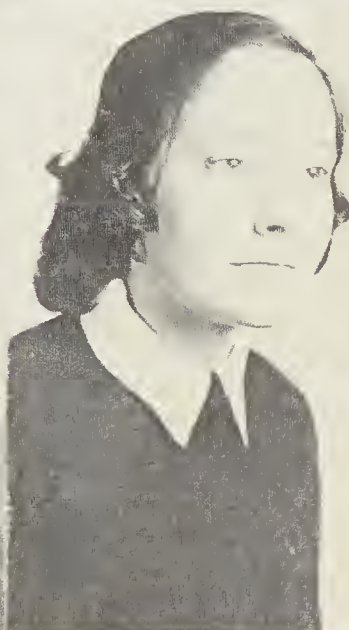
DORIS R. PARRISH  
Teen-Age Book Club  
4; Science Club 3.



RUBY ALICE PULLEY  
Beta Club 2, 3, 4;  
Basketball 3; Soft  
Ball 1.

MARY JUANITA SMITH  
Beta Club 2, 3, 4;  
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Teen  
Age Book Club 4;  
Senior 4H Club 1,  
2,3 Basketball 3.

PEGGY JANE STANTON  
Beta Club 2, 3, 4;  
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Teen  
Age Book Club 4;  
Senior 4H Club 1,  
2,3.





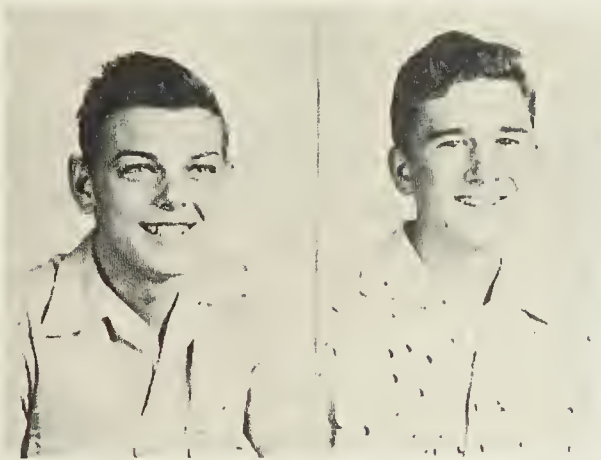




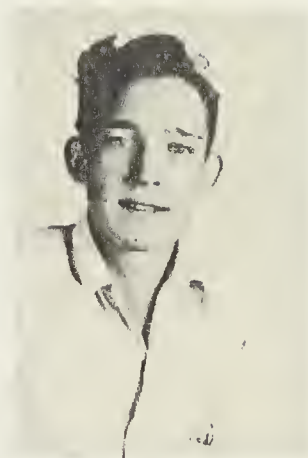
**Juniors**



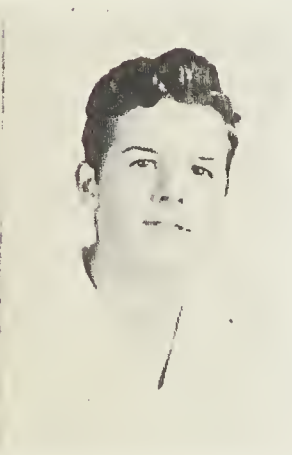




VERNON ABBOTT  
RUSSELL BOYD



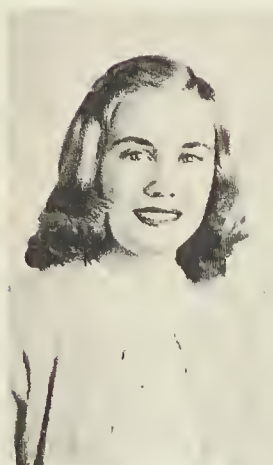
NELSON DICKERSON  
HAL DUKE



THOMAS EDWARDS  
GEORGE ELMORE



JANE FRAIZEF  
BOBBY GAY



BARBARA HEDGEFETH  
J.B. JOHNSON



SUSIE KEARNEY  
NELLIE KITTRELL



JENNIE OVERBY  
AMELIA PAGE



ANN STONE  
CHARLES WELLS



# Sophomores









SARAH JOAN BRIGGS  
MARGIE BURTON BROWN



ELLIOTT BRUMMITT  
CLARICE COGHILL



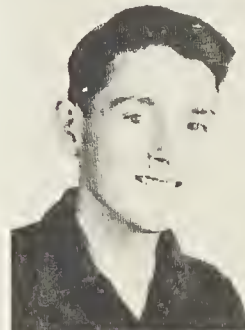
SALLY JO COGHILL  
BLANCHE DICKERSON



EUGENE DICKERSON  
JOAN KNIGHT



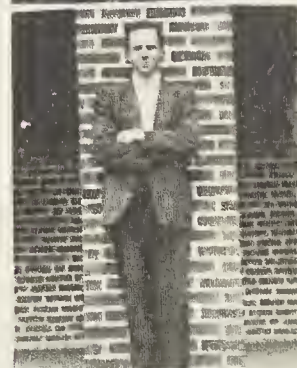
ROSA MARIE LANGSTON  
ROSA LEE MOSS



BERT PERKINSON  
ANN ROBERSON



BOBBY ROBERTS  
MARY EARL ROWLAND

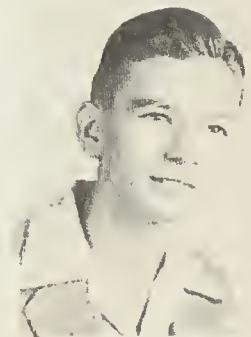


JERRY STANTON  
REBECCA ANN STONE



DURWOOD WATKINS

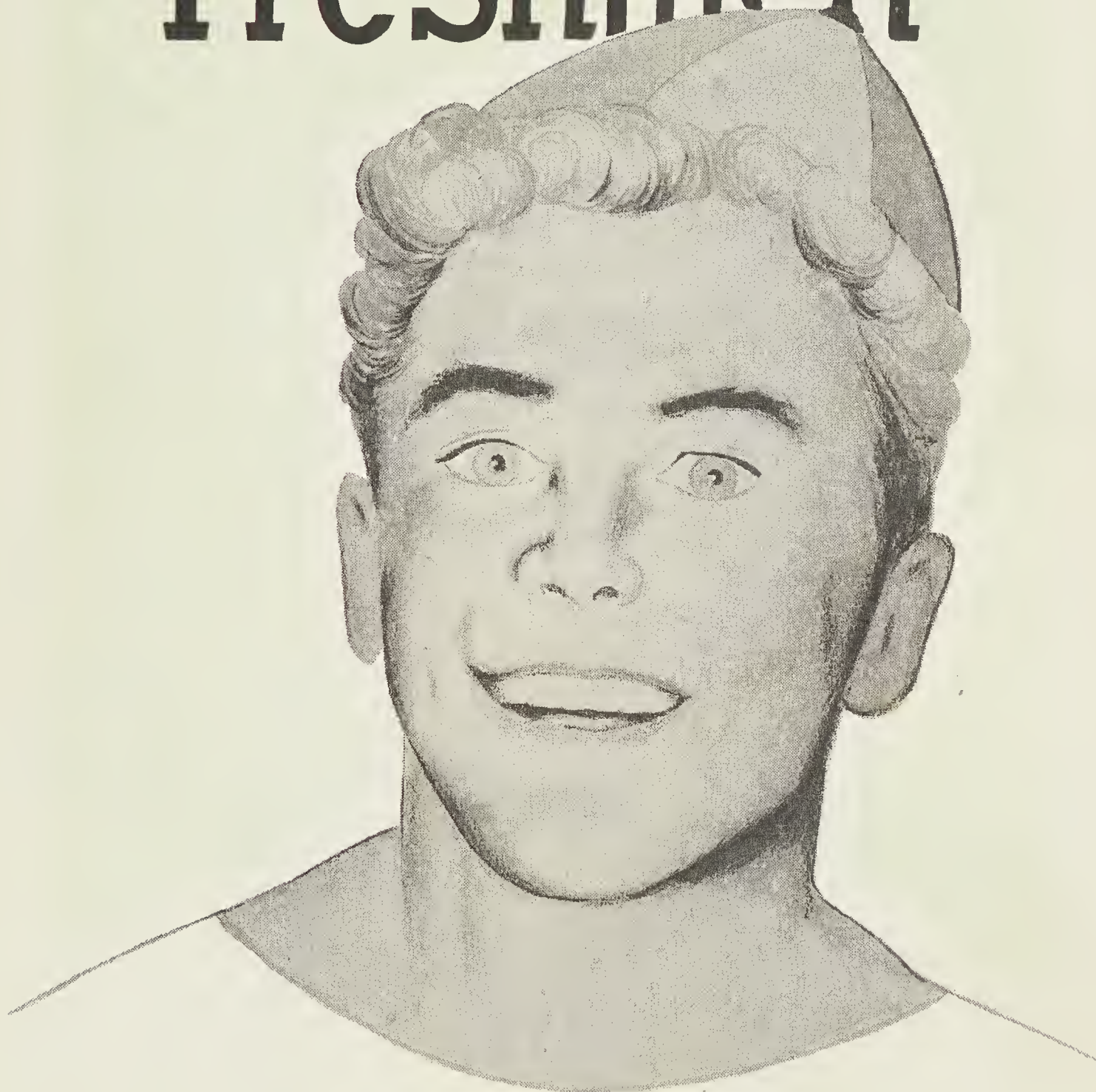
CLIFTON WOODLIEF







# Freshmen









MARTHA LEE ABBOTT

CHARLES BRIGGS

HAZEL BUCHANAN

JAMES ANDREW CLAYTON

TEDDY LUCIUS CLAYTON  
NELLIE GREY DUNN

CHARLES FRANK FLOYD  
PEGGY ANNE FRAIZER

WILLARD GRISSOM  
MERDICE LEE GUPTON

MARVIN HERSHMAN, JR.  
BRUCE FURMAN HIGHT

DELORES JEAN JENSON  
MARY RUTH JOHNSON

MARGARET LANE KEARNEY  
BARBARA JEAN LANGSTON

JETTY WYNELL OVERBY  
MARY NELL OVERBY

JAMES EDWARD PULLEY  
HENRY BRACY STANTON









**Elementary**







# **FIRST GRADE**

60



# **SECOND GRADE**

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# **THIRD GRADE**

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# **FOURTH GRADE**

MRS. D.P. McDUFFIE









max  
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## FIFTH GRADE

my CLASS  
55  
**SIXTH GRADE**

MISS LOIS HUFF



Rogers' CLASS  
54

## SEVENTH GRADE



CLASS  
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## EIGHTH GRADE









**Honors**





HARVEST FESTIVAL KINGS AND QUEENS

Senior King



Eddie Clayton, Jr.

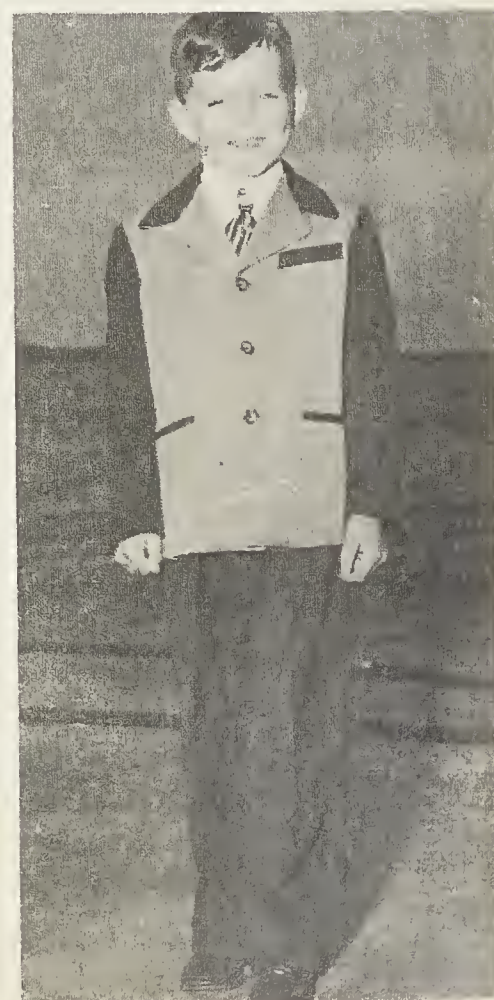
Senior Queen



Martha Abbot

Jo Jo Parks

Junior King




Ann Edens

Junior Queen





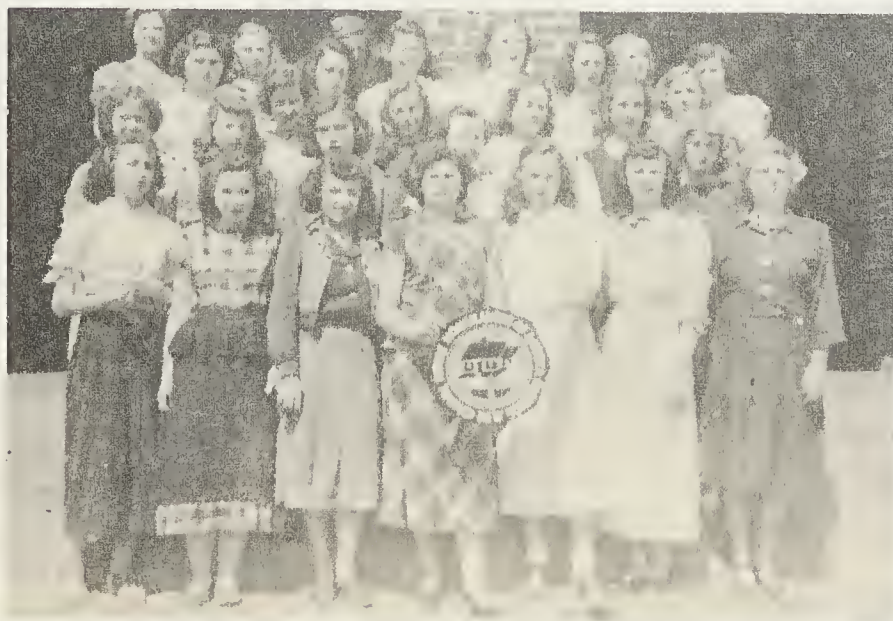
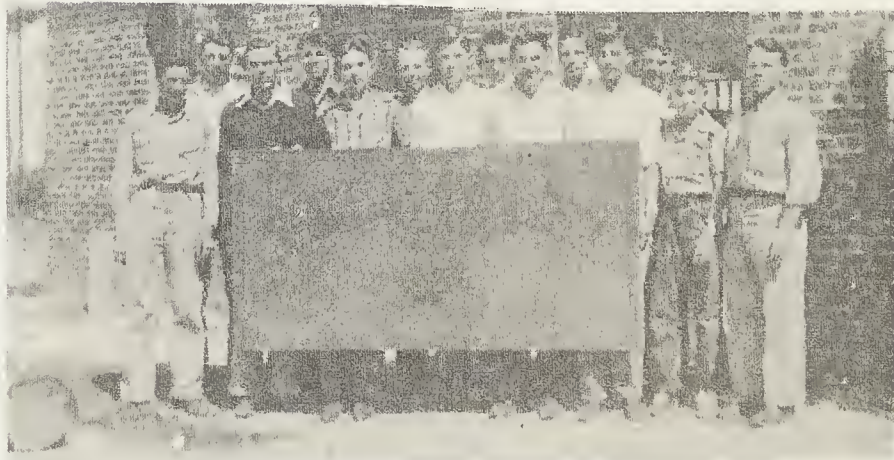
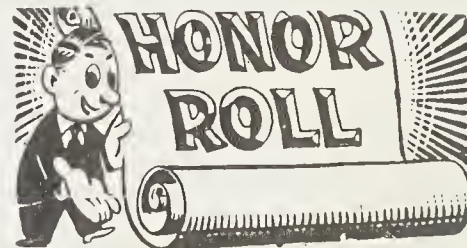




# MUSIC



BETA



F. H. A.







F.F.A.

The Zeb Vance Chapter of Future Farmers of America came into existence when all interested boys met on the twenty-seventh of August in 1948. We wanted to be an active organization when school opened so the following officers were elected and given their duties: President- Elliott Brummitt, Vice-President - Clifton Woodlief, Secretary - Eugene Dickerson, Treasurer-J.B. Johnson, Reporter-Bruce Hight, Advisor-J.D. Wilson.

Being a new chapter, our first job was to secure official chapter equipment. This was paid for out of dues paid by the members. To replace the money, we sold magazine subscriptions.

After getting fully organized we decided that one meeting with a good program every two weeks would be sufficient.

When the chapter organized, it automatically became a member of the Vance-Warren Federation. This is made up of Middleburg, Aycock, Norlina, Littleton, and Zeb Vance F.F.A. chapters. The Federation meets once each month at different schools. There is a contest held at most of the meetings. In the contests we have ranked as follows: Creed-first place, Parliamentary Procedure-fourth place, Seed Judging-third place, and Livestock Judging-first place.

The month of May brings two contests, field-day, and public-speaking at Aycock. Our muscle-men are working out for the field-day contest, while Elliott Brummitt and Marvin Hershman sharpen their tongues for the public speaking contest.

That brings us up to summer vacation. Thirteen of the group will enjoy a week at Tom Brown Camp in the mountains in June. In August two delegates will attend the F.F.A. Convention which will end our first successful year as a Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

BETA CLUB

The Zeb Vance Chapter of the National Beta Club began the year by electing officers. They are as follows: President - Mary Ann Lassiter, Vice - President - Nancy Fuller, Secretary and Treasurer - Ruby Pulley, Social Committee - Rachel Moss and Juanita Smith, Program Committee- Peggy Stanton, and Membership Committee- Nancy Fuller.

The Zeb Vance Chapter meets twice a month; once for business and once for program. Mrs. R. C. Young is our sponsor.

Elliott Brummitt, Eugene Dickerson, Durwood Watkins, Clifton Woodlief, Margie Brown, Mary Earl Rowland, Clarice Coghill, Virginia Overby, Amelia Pace, and Ann Stone have been initiated and installed in the club this year.

The North Carolina Beta Convention will meet at Raleigh on April twenty-ninth and thirtieth. Juanita Smith, one of our members, has the invocation at the Banquet.

F.H.A.

The Zeb Vance Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America began this year by having a joint meeting with the nearby organized F.F.A.

Club officers elected were: President- Juanita Smith, Vice- President- Virginia Overby, Secretary - Clarice Coghill, Treasurer - Nancy Fuller, Reporter- Rachel Moss, Parliamentarian- Phyllis Grissom, Song Leader- Peggy Stanton, Historian-Amelia Pace, and Advisor- Mrs. W.A. Wateon.

Our enrollment now consists of twenty-eight members, of whom five have both Junior and Chapter degrees and thirteen have Junior degrees.

We were hostess to the Vance-Warren association of the F.H.A. in the fall, and attended the spring rally at Littleton High School. Ann Stone was elected Parliamentarian.

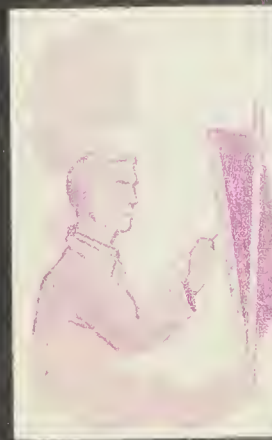
Some of our members attended the state rally at Raleigh, and district rally in Henderson.

Each month a program was given centered around the eight purposes of the club.

The two main socials of the year were the Formal Dance at Christmas and the Mother-Daughter Banquet in March.







# Activities







# Senior Snapshots







## CLASS HISTORY

The Class of 1949 began its history on that eventful autumn morning in 1937 when forty-seven pupils began their journey in school under the guidance of Miss Ruth Hudson. Who could know that only four of the original forty-seven pupils would remain in Zeb Vance for graduation in June, 1949? These four are Ruby Pulley, Rachel Moss, Juanita Smith, and Mary Ann Lassiter. Somewhere along the line they acquired eight comrades making the total number of seniors twelve.

Although the class was not really in high school in the eighth grade, it changed classes with the high school, ate with them, and was considered to be one of them.

When they officially entered high school in the ninth grade, Mrs. W. A. Watson was their sponsor. Two members of the class came from the seventh grade to the ninth grade to join this class. These two were Nancy Fuller and Peggy Stanton.

The class officers that year were: President- Juanita Smith, Vice-President- Ruby Pulley, and Secretary- Peggy Stanton.

As the class progressed in high school the number of pupils diminished. Mrs. R.C. Young sponsored them as sophomores. About mid-term a student, H.C. Boyd, was gained from another school. The sophomore officers were: President- Peggy Stanton, Vice-President- Margaret Owen, and Secretary and Treasurer- Graham Ayscue.

During the sophomore year the class had several socials including a weiner roast, ice cream supper, and Christmas party at school.

The Junior year was a very eventful year sponsored by Mrs. W.A. Watson. The Junior Class officers were: President- Juanita Smith, Vice-President- Rachel Moss, Secretary- Peggy Stanton, and Treasurer- Eddie Clayton, Jr. Doris Parrish joined the class at mid-term from another school.

The class had a social committee and each month there was a social. There were weiner roasts, square dances, a Christmas party, and other parties, some being with the Seniors of 1948.

Another gala event was the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom. The Banquet was held in the School Cafeteria and the Prom was in the Home Economics room. The theme was "The Old South". The colors used were yellow and green, the Junior colors, and orchid and pink, the Senior colors. The Prom room was decorated to represent a colonial garden. The Clayton Band supplied music for the dance. Various stunts were given and everyone had a wonderful time. Their motto was "Do More, Wish Less".

At graduation of the Class of 1948 the Juniors carried the traditional arches in the form and colors of the rainbow. They participated in the class day and graduation exercises.

The twelfth year of this class has been a very full year. Miss Nell Finch Murphy is their sponsor. The officers were: President- Rachel Moss, Vice-President- Doris Parrish, Secretary- Mary Ann Lassiter, Treasurer- Eddie Clayton, Jr., Reporter- Nancy Fuller, Class Poet- Rachel Moss, Testator- Ruby Pulley, Historian- Mary Ann Lassiter, Prophet- Peggy Stanton, and Giftorian- Nancy Fuller. Ruby Pulley is chairman of the social committee. The class colors were pink and green, the flower sweetpea, and the motto "Be a lifter, not a leaner".

A hayride was enjoyed in September. Also in September Magazines were sold by the Seniors to make money.

Eddie Clayton, Jr. and Phyllis Grissom were selected king and queen to represent the class in the Harvest Festival on November 5. Eddie Clayton, Jr. was selected as King of the High School.

The class went to see the movie "Rachel and The Stranger" in November and treated themselves to hotdogs and drinks afterwards. The senior play "No Bride For The Groom" was given in November and Miss Murphy entertained the class at an informal dinner at her home in December. Also in December superlatives were selected.

In January the class enjoyed a social and dance at Parham's Cabin. Also in January the class had a social at the home of John Marshall Barnes, Jr. In March a Weiner roast was enjoyed at Parham's Cabin.

April 1 the class had a Barbeque Supper to make money.

The class plans to meet on June 1, 1952 for a reunion. They will meet with the first person that marries.

The Juniors entertained them at a Banquet Prom on April 22 in the School Cafeteria and Home Economics room. It was enjoyed by all.

Historian- MARY ANN LASSITER





## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Class of 1949, in the town of Kittrell, the county of Vance, and the state of North Carolina, being in as good mental condition as usual, and in much better temper than usual, do hereby make this, our last will and testament, rendering void and of no avail any former will or wills that may have been previously made by us during a period of temporary optimism.

Although, being as psychologically complex as befits a Senior class we consist of twelve separate and distinct entities, we are in such complete accord, thinking alike, and seldom, that the editorial now, alas funeral "we" will be used to denote our collective entity throughout this document.

We have no specific directions to leave concerning our funeral, but we do hope you will come to praise as well as bury us, forgetting the trifling faults that may have been ours and remembering only our manifold and remarkable virtues.

In this manner do we dispose of our possessions.

Item 1. W

Item 1. We give and bequeath, freely and without reservations or stipulations, to the Junior Class, our rightful heirs, our most important and valuable properties, our self-satisfaction, our wisdom, and our importance. We also leave our good luck, it made us what we are today and it should satisfy them.

Item 2. To our good friends, the Sophomore class, we leave our patience. It will be found useful as the only means by which they can endure the Juniors.

Item 3. To the incoming freshman class we leave the first table on the extreme right in the Cafeteria.

Item 4. As you know we have left nothing to the Freshman class, which will be known in a few months as the Sophomore class, because their self valuation will have attained such heights that nothing in our possession would be regarded by them as worthy their distinction.

Item 5. To our principal we give our sincere affection, our deepest reverence, our heartiest gratitude, and the whole unlimited wealth of our eternal memory. In an attempt at partial payment for all that he has done for us during our long years at Zeb Vance High, we make over to him, here and now, a heavy mortgage on our future in the Great Unknown beyond.

Item 6. To our teachers, the faculty of the Zeb Vance High School we leave all the amazing knowledge and startling information that we have furnished to them from time to time in our examination papers.

Item 7. To the history of Zeb Vance High School we bequeath our illustrious deeds and our names as candidates for the Hall of Fame.

Item 8. To the Junior Class we give reluctantly but of necessity, our mantle of dignity, we realize that the class can never fill it but since it is expected of them, our advice is, "Grin and wear it".

Item 9. To the school we give freely the much needed bucket of coal.

Item 10. Individual Bequests:

Nancy Fuller leaves her gift of gab to Susie Kearney.

Phyllis Grissom leaves her height to Ann Stone.

Mary Ann Lassiter leaves her efficiency to Barbara Hedgepeth.

Rachel Moss leaves her meanness to J. B. Johnson.

Doris Parrish leaves her bashfulness to Nellie Gray Kittrell.

Ruby Pulley leaves her sarcasm to Hal Duke.

Juanita Smith leaves her leadership to Nelson Dickerson.

Peggy Stanton leaves her studiousness to Bert Perkinson.



John Marshall Barnes, Jr. leaves his babish ways to Bobby Gay.  
 H. C. Boyd leaves his wit to Virginia Overby.  
 Bobby Clayton leaves his Musical ability to George Elmore.  
 Eddie Clayton, Jr. leaves his idleness to Amelia Pace.  
 Peggy Stanton leaves her ambition to Jane Frazier.  
 Eddie Clayton, Jr. leaves his toughness to Russell Boyd  
 Nancy Fuller leaves her unknown quality to Charles Allen Wells.  
 Phyllis Grissom leaves her flirting ability to Vernon Abbott.

Besides these bequeaths we leave our best wishes to any and all who may desire them.

Any property or personal possessions of ours that may remain in addition to the items specified we bequeath to the Vance County Board of Education to use as it sees fit.

Finally, we do hereby name and appoint as the sole executor of this, our last will and testament, our class advisor, Miss Nell Finch Murphy.

In witness wherefore we, the Class of 1949, the testator have set our hand and seal on this third day of June in the year of 1949.

Testator, RUBY PULLEY.

Witnesses: Rachel Moss  
 Doris Parrish.

#### OUR HAPPIEST DAY

The happiest day- the happiest hour  
 Our seared and belighted hearts have known,  
 The highest hope of pride and power  
 We feel today has flown.

For twelve long years this day we've sought,  
 And studied with our might.  
 While through the many books we fought,  
 With our graduation in sight.

The days, they seemed like ages,  
 The weeks, they had no end.  
 Yet in life's book we turned the pages,  
 'Tis now our life doth begin.

Now that our days at school are through,  
 And into the world we begin,  
 Our careers to us will be, oh, so new;  
 But there we will stay to the end.

The dear old High School nevermore,  
 Will have us for a member;  
 But in our hearts forevermore,  
 THESE memories we'll remember.

RACHEL MOSS





"Here are sweetpeas, on tip-toe for a flight,  
With wings of gentle flush o'er delicate white,  
And taper fingers, catching at all things."  
-Keats

While walking through my garden in the twilight I chanced to spy a most curious bouquet of sweetpeas. Upon looking more closely at these, I saw there was enclosed in each blossom a note, and I realized these were the prophecies of the Senior Class of 1949.

Now let us hear what the sweetpea has to say:

Mary Ann Laseiter- a girl of charm and grace,  
Whose virtues are reflected in her face,  
Will live in peace and plenty all her life,  
A housekeeper deluxe and happy wife.  
This fully describes her, so why say more.

Eddie Clayton, Jr., always in the air,  
Who loves to take chances and perils to dare,  
Will very soon be a world famed aviator,  
As noted as Lindbergh, perhaps even greater.  
(Unless he chooses the tobacco market instead and is a rival with R.J. Reynolds.)

Doris Parrish- Her ambition all through high school was to be a nurse, and this desire will be fulfilled, even though at one time she was worried. She will become the Superintendent of Nurses in a large hospital (could it be Watts?), and maybe after a few years she will begin a new career, that is making a home with one of her "cousins".

Phyllis Grissom- During her entire school days her friends were always hearing her talk about traveling, and this desire will be realized. She will travel the world over having a wonderful time, especially in France, where she will use her great knowledge of French in conversing with the people, and could it be that she will have a companion with her (I don't mean female)?

Rachel Moss- A girl with a determination - that of becoming a doctor. She has before her seven long years of studying, but, oh, the reward for it. She will become the head of a large hospital (perhaps Doris Parrish will be the superintendent of nurses here), and will be greatly esteemed by all. After years of honest labor for her fellow man, she will retire on her western ranch, and raise all the cattle she wants to, perhaps with a certain blonde (or is it a brunette?) to help her.

Juanita Smith- A hard future to foretell. She seems to have all the qualities of a good teacher but since her ambitions seem to lie in other channels, perhaps she'll use her teaching abilities on her children. She will become a prominent member and leader of her community, engaging in religious and social activities, and always earnestly working for what she thinks is right.

John Marshall Barnes, Jr.- Future is somewhat hazy, but when the mist clears I realize that John will be recognized as the Manager of a large branch of Kinney's Shoe Stores. He will work his way up from a clerk in the local store to this high position, perhaps proving that he was, after all, the most studious boy in his class. With him to help and cheer him will be a certain blonde (maybe brunette!) who as yet hasn't materialized (I don't think!).





Bobby Clayton- As in school he was very much interested in the affairs of 'Roses', so on into life. He will become Manager of a large branch of this company, never becoming "swell headed", but always "plain old Bobby", and always by his side will be a certain "little" girl, (whom we all know), helping him as a wife should.

H. C. Boyd- The typical husband (not henpecked!) of the class. Although in his school days he denied it, I think he will be a farmer, raising crops and harvesting them, hard work but honest labor. As he was in school, so he will be through life, making friends, cracking jokes, and enjoying life. As for the girl in his life -well- I don't know, but I'll take three guesses.

Ruby Pulley- She will be a typical housewife, going about her duties cheerfully and happily. She will marry a certain tall "boy" and live a contented life, being satisfied with "the joys of homemaking".

Nancy Fuller- As in school, rather undecided, so in life, but maybe she'll have some help in her decisions. After perhaps a year in business college her Prince Charming will come riding by, and then she'll settle down, living the life of a contented housewife.

Peggy Stanton- It is not easy to live without work. She is always so busy that I see that she will need very little help along the way. In the future she will guide uncertain men and women, boys and girls, into their proper life's work, for she is a Director of Religious Education in a large church.

Prophet- PEGGY STANTON

#### TO THE JUNIORS

Juniors, we will miss you  
 Since our days at school are through.  
 Down these halls we'll walk no more,  
 We're leaving them for you.  
 Our high school days together  
 Did end so very soon;  
 But in our hearts will always be  
 Our high school days with you.  
 The banquet you gave,  
 The games that we played,  
 The fun that we all had then  
 In work or in play,  
 Your hearts were so gay  
 And laughing we all did blend.  
 But now our game is over  
 And parting will be soon.  
 We thank you for the things you've done  
 And we'll never forget you.

RACHEL MOSS



## ELEMENTORY ACTIVITIES

There are 313 students enrolled in the Elementary School at Zeb Vance High. This year has been a very active and interesting year for these students. In the fall each class selected grade parents. These have served the students at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine, and Easter. Each class gave a chapel program during the year. In March the P.T.A. held open house and all the grades put on displays of their work done during the year. Each grade has generously contributed to the Junior Red Cross, March of Dimes and Community Chest and helped collect for the Red Cross.

On September 6, 1948, thirty-six bright and happy little children entered the doors of Zeb Vance High School to begin their journey into school days. This has been a happy year for these boys and girls. Joe Parks, Jr., a first grader, was crowned Junior King of the Harvest Festival. In April they helped with the pre-school clinic. They also sent a sunshine box to a member of the class who was in the hospital.

The members of the second grade felt more sure of themselves this year, for they were now beginning their second year of school. One of their interesting events outside of regular parties was their picnic on April twenty-second.

The third grade raised enough money to buy a lavatory and screen for their room. They formed a Library Club and had as their aim to read as many books as possible during the year. Some read as many as thirty.

By converting a closet into a bookcase and making flower boxes the fourth grade has improved the appearance of their room. They are very proud of their baseball team for they have won over the third and fifth grade teams.

One of the most interesting projects of the fifth grade was their model of the city of Henderson for geography. They sang at the Christmas meeting of the P.T.A. and gave a program for them.

Ann Edens made the sixth grade very happy when by their help, she was elected Junior Harvest Queen. They have had attractive displays on in their room the entire year; they presented a clever program for chapel and the P.T.A.; and their ball team is super.

This year to help the appearance of their room and the school the boys of the seventh grade sanded and varnished each desk in the room. The girls worked in groups cleaning boards and the room. They purchased a lavatory to be installed in the room. They have both a very good girls' and boys' ball team.

Under the guidance of their teacher the eighth grade has been very busy playing soft ball and basketball games with other grades. The most outstanding and enjoyable event of the year was their trip to Raleigh, the State Capital. There they visited many interesting places as the Capital, Governor Mameion, State Museum, Hall of History, State Penitentiary and Blind School. At radio station W.N.A.O., they made a recorded program which was broadcasted. They are hoping their high school days will equal their first eight years.

## JUNIOR CLASS

In September when school began the class officers, colors, and motto were selected. The officers were: President-Amelia Pace, Vice-President-Susie Kearney, Secretary-J.B. Johnson, and Treasurer-Ann Stone. The colors chosen were pink and green and the class motto is "Climb through the rocks be rugged".

In October the Junior Class had a steak supper at Parham's Cabin; after supper everyone joined in some folk dances.

At Christmas the grade mothers gave the class a party in the old theater building in Kittrell and square dancing was great fun.

The Junior-Senior Banquet was held in the school Cafeteria on the night of April twenty-second at seven o'clock. It was carried out with the Gypsy Theme and the sophomore class was responsible for a Gypsy dance which was given before dinner. After dinner everyone went to the Home Economics Classroom where the Prom was enjoyed by all attending.





## FRESHMAN CLASS

The Zeb Vance Freshman Class elected the following officers in September: President - Peggy Fraizer, Vice - President - Jimmy Clayton, Treasurer - Charles Floyd, and Secretary - Marvin Hershman.

The Class gave one of the students a fare well party, before she moved away. She now goes to Middleburg High School.

The Class raised enough money to have a class party at the home of Martha Abbott. The refreshments included drinks, cookies, and candy.

The agriculture building was completed soon after school opened, and all the Freshman boys are taking agriculture. There have been many articles made, and improvements are still being made.

A ball team was organized in March and most of the Freshman boys are on the team.

The grade mothers, Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Kearney, served us on Valentine Day and at Christmas.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS

The tenth grade girls are members of the Future Homemakers of America and have attained the degree of Junior Homemakers.

Several of our grade, Clarice Coghill, Margie Brown, Mary Earl Rowland, Durwood Watkins, Clifton Woodlief, Elliott Brummitt, and Eugene Dickerson, became members of the Beta Club. We are very proud that seven from a class of sixteen were eligible for this honor.

On Tuesday April 5, the girls in the Home Economics Class gave a formal dinner in honor of the faculty of our school.

During the year the Future Farmers of America, including all the boys of the tenth grade, have won several honors. In the Vance-Warren Federation, the Zeb Vance boys won first place in the Cress Contest, second place in the Seed Judging Contest and first place in the Live Stock Judging Contest.

Zeb Vance High knows that the Sophomores are here.

## THE ANNUAL

For the first time since 1939, we have an annual, the Z.V.H.S. Echo. The staff should be commended for their splendid work in securing the publication. "Hats Off" to the following: Editor-in-Chief - Mary Ann Lassiter, Associate Editor - Peggy Stanton, Class Editor - Juanita Smith, Associate Class Editors - Amelia Pace, Marvin Hershman, Nancy Fuller, Sally Jo Coghill, Art Editor - Elliott Brummitt, Activity Editor - Ann Stone, F.F.A. - Bruce Hight, F.H.A. - Rachel Moss, Beta Club - Jennie Overby, Athletic Editors - Phyllis Grissom, Bobby Clayton, and Faculty Advisor - Nell F. Murphy, *Ruby Pulley, Business Manager.*

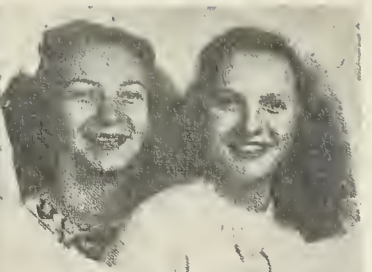
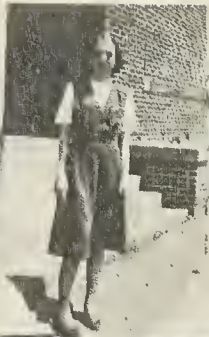
## BASEBALL HISTORY of Z.V.H.S.

Since 1929-30 Zeb Vance has had one of the best baseball teams in the county or at times in the state. The team of 1929-30 played teams all over the state. During that year they lost only one game, that one being to Raleigh High School with a score of 7-5. Many good players have been brought from this school. In 1946-47 and 1947-48, the Zeb Vance team did their best to keep the good name of the school up in playing and in being good sports. For the past two years the boys behind the letters of Z.V.H.S. have played hard and won the County Championship for which they are very proud. Their coach, John Fuller Coghill, has helped them to win many of these games. All of the boys have confidence in John and are looking forward to him to pull us through to the top this year. So far this year Zeb Vance has lost only one game, this being to Epson.

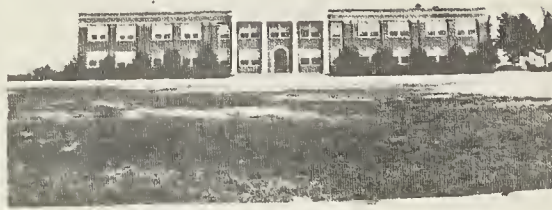
James Pulley is our main pitcher. He is only fifteen years old and is very small. The only players they will lose this year are Bobby Clayton and H.C. Boyd. The team includes the following: James Pulley - Pitcher, Willard Grissom - Catcher, Ted Clayton - First Base, Charles Wells - Second Base, Bobby Clayton - Short Stop, Thomas Edwards and Bobby Roberts - Third Base, H.C. Boyd - Center Field, Hal Duke - Left Field, Jimmy Clayton - Right Field. Substitutes include Charles Briggs, Bert Perkinson, Bracy Stanton, Frank Kittrell, Randolph Edwards, and Jerry Stanton.







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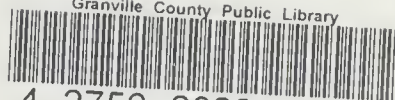
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